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Mr. Ryan J. Lanz
Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

Re: Mississippi Republican Party
C000064368
February Monthly Report

Dear Mr. Lanz,

Please be advised that I have filed an amended report for February to correct the beginning cash on hand and also to correct the administrative percentage for 2005 on schedule H1. Furthermore, I have updated all employers and occupations that were previously missing.

In response to your question regarding the \$6760 of offsets to operating expenditures on Schedule A these were refunds the party received to cover individual hotel rooms in Washington DC for the Inauguration. The party originally paid the expense to the Washington Terrace hotel in December 2004 for \$43,941.52. Individuals simply reimbursed the party their share of the costs to attend.

Should you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Thomas B. Butchart, Treasurer